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# GLOBAL CLIMATE ACTION AGENDA AXIS 6

## SHOWCASE EVENT

## Finance, Technology and Capacity Building: From Enablers to Impact

Date: Friday, 13th Nov (Finance & Trade Day) | Time: 11:00-12:30| Room: Special Event Room 4 Perge (Theatre)

Organized by: Global Climate Action Agenda Axis 6 coordination group, facilitated by the Climate Champions Axis 6 lead and manager

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### Background and Objective

Climate ambition translates into real-world progress only when operational enablers—capital, technology, policy design, and institutional capacities—are aligned to unlock delivery across the real economy. As part of the Marrakech Partnership Global Climate Action Agenda, Axis 6 focuses on mobilizing finance, deploying practical technologies, and building institutional capacity to drive whole-of-economy implementation of the Paris Agreement.

**1. Purpose of the Event**

The Showcase Event convenes leaders across public finance, private investment, enterprises, and institutional governance to demonstrate how Axis 6 enablers are unlocking delivery barriers on the ground. By examining proven instruments—such as aggregated public procurement, local-currency de-risking tools, and verifiable market standards—the event shows how systemic enablers directly catalyze sector-level decarbonization and resilience.

**2. Demonstrating progress**

To provide a credible, grounded picture of implementation, the event focuses on verified operational proof-points and early delivery milestones, organized across three primary delivery channels:

- **Unlocking Capital Flows & Risk Sharing:** Demonstrating how blended finance structures, foreign exchange (FX) hedging facilities, and parametric disaster risk instruments are reducing investment risk and drawing institutional capital into climate-aligned projects in emerging markets.
- **Structuring Market Demand & Procurement:** Showing how coordinated public and corporate procurement mandates are moving beyond voluntary targets to create stable, guaranteed demand signals for low-carbon industrial materials and circular infrastructure.
- **Equipping Institutions & Securing Market Integrity:** Highlighting practical capacity-building programs, market frameworks, and digital verification tools that equip governments to design bankable NDC/NAP investment pipelines and maintain integrity across carbon and data ecosystems.

**3. Contribution to COP31 Priorities**

As the connective infrastructure across the Global Climate Action Agenda, Axis 6 supports COP31's core focus on accelerated execution. The practical mechanisms, toolkits, and transition frameworks developed under Axis 6 and its Plans to Accelerate Solutions (PAS) directly feed the three operational pillars of the Climate Implementation Bridge, providing national and subnational governments with the financing structures, technology access, and institutional readiness required to execute their NDCs.

**4. Key results to be showcased**

The session highlights tangible execution milestones, market shifts, and operational instruments rather than political endorsements. Examples may include:

- **Aggregated Heavy Industry Procurement:** Operationalization of public procurement commitments (such as the Belém Declaration and IDDI), structuring collective green purchasing specifications that represent significant annual public demand for low-carbon steel and cement.
- **Subnational Capital Deployment (CPLFs):** Progress under Country Platforms for Localizing Finance (CPLFs) deployed alongside the BRIDGE initiative, establishing dedicated subnational pipelines that aggregate municipal infrastructure projects to access private and concessional capital.
- **Disaster Exposure to Financial Protection:** Scaling pre-arranged, parametric sovereign and subnational insurance instruments that automate immediate liquidity payouts to governments and vulnerable populations upon verified climate triggers.
- **Climate-Aligned Trade and Market Architecture:** Advancements in cross-border interoperability frameworks for low-emission standards (e.g., green steel labels) and practical capacity-building that trains trade officials in emerging economies to implement climate-resilient policies.
- **Pipeline Structuring for NDCs and NAPs:** Deployment of de-risking frameworks, standardized project pipelines, and FX risk-mitigation facilities designed to crowd private finance into long-term adaptation and mitigation projects.
- **Market Integrity and Information Systems:** Early delivery milestones in supporting verified climate communications, and the rollout of standardized protocols for empirical emissions mitigation (such as for methane) across heavy-emitting sectors.

## Topline message

Climate action accelerates when the right enablers are aligned: across different sectors, finance, procurement, technology, innovation and capacity-building are already delivering solutions that contribute to measurable progress across climate and development objectives, but concerted global efforts are needed to further scale and accelerate pace of delivery.

## Expected Outcomes

- **Demonstrate impact**: showcase concrete solutions and results from the Axis 6 ecosystem and enhance awareness of these solutions at global level.
- **Elevate scalable solutions**: present proven and emerging models, partnerships, and innovations that are ready to be replicated and expanded across countries and sectors.
- **Strengthen collaboration**: build momentum among governments, investors, businesses and civil society around a shared vision for scaling the enabling conditions that unlock faster and more inclusive climate action.

**Preliminary Agenda Axis 6 Showcase Event (90 mins)**

| Time | Segment |
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| 11:00-11:05<br><br>5 mins | **Opening**<br>MC from the Climate Champions team welcomes the audience, runs through housekeeping/ agenda, introduces first speakers. |
| 11:05-11:15<br><br>10 mins | **1. Opening Keynotes: Building the Enabling Ecosystem for Implementation**<br>Introductory remarks to set the scene for the discussion, emphasising the role of finance, technology, governance and innovation in supporting climate progress across sectors and countries. Highlighting how these support COP31 Priorities, in particular the Climate Implementation Bridge, as well as all the other Axes of the Action Agenda<br><br>*Speakers:*<br><br>- *Dan Ioschpe, COP30 Climate High-Level Champion*<br>- *Bruna Cerqueira, COP30 Action Agenda Director*<br>- *Tuğba Dinçbaş, COP31 Action Agenda Director* |
| 11:15-11:35<br><br>20 mins | **2. Proof of Progress Panel #1 – *Mobilising Capital: From Policy Signals to Investment Flows***<br><br>This panel will showcase how effective policy frameworks, financial instruments and institutional reforms can unlock investment. Through case studies and best practices, the session will highlight how innovative financing mechanisms to mobilise private capital for mitigation and adaptation, how public procurement and trade systems are creating demand for low-carbon solutions, and how stronger governance and institutional capacity are helping attract climate-aligned investment and drive implementation at scale.<br><br>*Speakers (all confirmed):*<br><br>- *Moderator: Stephanie Pfeifer, CEO of the Institutional Investors Group on Climate Change (IIGCC)*<br>- *Helen Brume, President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Afreximbank (African Export-Import Bank)*<br>- *Saker Nusseibeh, CEO of Federated Hermes*<br>- *Gabriella Maretto, Director of Strategies for Public Procurement for Sustainable Development of the Ministry of Management and Innovation in Public Services of Brazil* |
| 11:35-11:50<br><br>15 mins | **3. Fire-side chat – *Connecting the Dots: Effective Enabling Ecosystem through Stronger Partnerships for Country Implementation***<br><br>High-level conversation with a representative from an organisation coordinating implementation as part of a coalition/ partnership/ network / government who can share lessons on the value of collaboration in making real progress on the climate transition.<br><br>*Speakers (pending final confirmations):*<br><br>- *Moderator: Stefan Raubenheimer, Director of the Country Platforms Hub*<br>- *Dorah Modise, Executive Director of South Africa's Presidential Climate Commission (PCC)* |

- *Lívia Farias Ferreira de Oliveira, Deputy Undersecretary for Sustainable Development Finance at the Secretariat for International Affairs from Brazil's Ministry of Finance*

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| 11:50-12:15 | ***4.*** **Proof of Progress Panel #2 –** ***Scaling Innovation: Technology, Entrepreneurship and Markets*** |
| 25 mins | This panel will showcase how innovation is moving from pilots to impact by connecting digital technologies, entrepreneurship, carbon markets and emerging climate solutions. Through real-world examples, the session will demonstrate how digital tools and robust climate data can strengthen market confidence, how strong market frameworks and innovative business models are enabling climate technologies to scale and accelerate emissions reductions (including on non-CO2 gases and through bioeconomy solutions), strengthen value chains and build healthier, cleaner, more resilient societies and systems.<br><br>*Speakers (all confirmed):*<br><br>- *Moderator: Pietro Bertazzi, Chief Policy and Growth Officer at CDP*<br>- *Anderson Caputo, Division Chief - Connectivity, Markets and Finance at the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)*<br>- *Pratap Raju, Founder of the Climate Collective*<br>- *Noelia Garcia Nebra, Head of Sustainability & Partnerships at ISO*<br>- *Angela Churie Kallhauge, Executive Vice-President for Impact at the Environmental Defense Fund* |
| 12:15-12:25 | **5. Closing remarks – accelerating progress and scaling up solutions** |
| 10 mins | Closing remarks to offer a reflection on progress demonstrated so far and opportunities to accelerate and scale up promising solutions, particularly as the new Global Stocktake cycle kicks off.<br><br>*Speakers:*<br><br>- *Abas (Ali) Mohammed, Lead at the Ministry of Planning and Development of Ethiopia*<br>- *Samed Ağırbaş, COP31 Climate High-Level Champion* |
| 12:25-12:30 | **6. Wrap up and close** |
| 5 mins | MC (TBC) summarises takeaways briefing, thanks audience and speakers |

## Annex

List of Axis 6 initiatives (not confirmed - prospective and invited initiatives and interested organizations from last cycle)

AG20

- 2X Challenge
- Accelerating access to finance for addressing climate mobility
- Adaptation and Resilience Collaborative for Funders (ARC)
- Adaptation and Resilience Investors Collaborative (ARIC)
- Africa Adaptation Acceleration Program
- African Food Systems Transformation Initiative (AFSTI)
- African Natural Capital Alliance
- Blended Finance Accelerator
- C40 Clean Investment Accelerator
- Capacity-building Alliance of Sustainable Investment (CASI)
- Caribbean Climate-Smart Accelerator
- CDP Climate Change
- CDP Forests
- Climate Bonds Initiative
- Climate KIC
- ClimateWise
- Coalition of Finance Ministers for Climate Action
- Country Platforms Hub (CP Hub)
- Earth Investment Engine (EIE)
- Emerging Markets Investors Alliance (EMIA)
- Feminist Action for Climate Justice Action Coalition
- Finance in Common (FiCS)
- Finance Your Cities Country Platforms for Localizing Finance
- Future of Mining Coalition (FOMC)
- Global Adaptation and Resilience Investment Working Group (GARI)
- Global Alliance for Green and Gender Action (GAGGA)
- Global Alliance of Subnational Development Banks
- Global Capacity Building Coalition (GCBC)
- Global Climate Resilience Platform

- Global Ethical Finance Initiative (GEFI)
- Global Innovation Lab for Climate Finance
- Global Shield Against Climate Risks (GS)
- Global Solidarity Levies Task Force (GSLTF)
- GSG Impact
- Huruma Fund
- ICMA Green and Social Bond Principles
- Industrial Transition Accelerator (ITA)
- Insurance Development Forum (IDF)
- Integrated Disaster Risk Management Alliance (IDRIMA)
- International Development Finance Club (IDFC)
- International Platform on Sustainable Finance (IPSF)
- International Transition Plan Network (ITPN)
- Investment Mobilisation Collaboration Alliance (IMCA)
- Mission2025
- Net Zero Asset Managers (NZAM)
- Network for Greening the Financial System (NGFS)
- Net-Zero Asset Owner Alliance (NZAOA)
- One Earth Alliance
- Paris Aligned Asset Owners (PAAO)
- Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI)
- Principles for Sustainable Insurance (PSI)
- Regional Platforms for Climate Projects (RPCP)
- Resilience Hub Finance Track
- Scale for Resilience (S4R)
- SDG Impact Finance Initiative Design Funding Window
- Sharing Strategies
- Socio-Environmental Funds of the Global South Alliance
- Sustainable Banking and Finance Network (SBFN)
- Sustainable Business COP (SB COP)
- Sustainable Markets Initiative (SMI)
- Sustainable Sovereign Debt Hub (SSDH)
- Systematic Observations Financing Facility (SOFF)
- Task Force on Credit Enhancement for Sustainability-linked Sovereign Financing
- Taxonomy Roadmap Initiative (TRI)
- Urban Insurance Infrastructure Facility (UIIF)

AG21

- ACT Initiative
- B Corp movement (certification, stakeholder governance propositions, related collective actions, etc.)
- Better Futures Australia (a program of Climate Action Network Australia)
- British Standards Institution
- Business Declares
- Carbon Accounting Alliance (CAA)
- Carbon Markets Institute
- CDP
- Ceres
- Chapter Zero
- CISL
- Climate Action for Associations
- Climate Action for Associations (CAFA)
- Climate Contribution Framework
- Climate Group
- Climate Leadership Network / University Climate Change Coalition / Race to Zero for Universities and Colleges
- E3G
- EAUC (Convener of Race to Zero for Universities and Colleges)
- ECONSULT & Climate Champions
- Enabling Corporate Climate Outcomes (ECCO)
- Energy and Climate Intelligence Unit
- Environmental Defense Fund + Business
- Exponential Roadmap Initiative
- Exponential Roadmap Initiative
- Giki
- GRI
- GSCC
- GSMA Climate Action Taskforce
- Health Care Climate Challenge, Race to Zero for Healthcare, Health Care Without Harm
- InfluenceMap
- International Organization for Standardization
- International Wineries for Climate Action
- Japan Climate Initiative
- Latin American Task Force on Adaptation
- Net Zero Action Accelerator
- New Climate Institute

- Pledge To Net Zero
- Race to Net Zero Philippines (under European Chamber of Commerce of the Philippines)
- Science Based Targets initiative
- Simon Fraser University
- SME Climate Hub
- Talibabe Climate (Kabul)
- Trellis Group
- UN Global Compact Network UK
- Under2 Coalition/Climate Group
- UNEP FI
- University of Oxford, Oxford Net Zero
- VCMI/Coalition to Grow Carbon Markets
- WBCSD
- We Mean Business
- World Benchmarking Alliance
- World Wildlife Fund

AG22

- 10-Year Framework of Programmes on Sustainable Consumption and Production (10YFP)
- CDP Climate Change
- Climate Catalyst
- Climate Club
- Coalition for Sustainable Procurement
- First Movers Coalition
- Green Approaches to Public Procurement
- Industrial Deep Decarbonization Initiative (IDDI)
- Industrial Transition Accelerator (ITA)
- Scope 3 Peer Group
- Steel Breakthrough
- Sustainable Aviation Buyers Alliance (SABA)
- Sustainable Procurement Pledge (SPP)
- Zero Emission Maritime Buyers Alliance (ZEMBA)

AG23

- Africa Carbon Markets Initiative
- Article 6 Ambition Alliance (AAA6)
- Biofuture Platform
- Climate Action Data Trust (CAD Trust)

- Climate Club
- Coalition to Grow Carbon Markets
- Earth Investment Engine
- Forest Climate Leaders Partnership (FCLP)
- Glasgow Financial Alliance for Net Zero (GFANZ)
- Green Approaches to Public Procurement
- Industrial Transition Accelerator (ITA)
- International Emissions Trading Association (IETA)
- IFCMA Carbon Intensity Workstream
- ISO Net Zero Standard
- Kinetic Coalition
- Low-Carbon Rail Challenge
- Natural Climate Solutions
- Net-Zero Asset Owner Alliance (NZAOA)
- Oxford Net Zero
- Partnership for Market Implementation
- PlanetaryX (PLX)
- Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi)
- Taskforce for Climate Action Transparency
- The Integrity Council for the Voluntary Carbon Market (ICVCM)
- UITP Declaration of Climate Leadership
- Working Group on Finance for Industry Decarbonization in EMDEs
- World Benchmarking Alliance (WBA)
- Frontier Climate

AG24

- FAIRR Initiative
- Fleet Electrification Coalition (FEC)
- Forest, Agriculture and Commodity Trade Dialogue (FACT Dialogue) Secretariat
- Green and Inclusive Value Chains
- Net-Zero Export Credit Agencies Alliance (NZECA)
- Partnership for Carbon Transparency (PACT)
- Steel Breakthrough
- Tropical Forest Alliance (TFA)

AG25

- #MakingBiogasHappen

- Bending Methane Curve in MENA
- C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group
- CA4SH (Coalition for Action for Soil Health)
- Climate & Clean Air Coalition (CCAC)
- Coalition of Action 4 Soil Health (CA4SH)
- Cool Coalition
- Fertilisers Breakthrough Agenda
- Food is Never Waste Coalition
- Food Waste Breakthrough
- Global Cooling Pledge - Beat the Heat in Cities
- Global Flaring and Methane Reduction Partnership
- Global Greenhouse Gas Watch (G3W)
- Global Methane Pledge (GMP)
- Good Food Accelerator
- Methane Finance Working Group
- Oil and Gas Climate Initiative (OGCI)
- Oil and Gas Methane Partnership 2.0
- Pull the Methane Emergency Brake
- Super Pollutant Action Alliance (SPAA)
- World Bank's Global Methane Reduction Platform for Development (CH4D)

AG26

- Action For Climate Empowerment Hub (ACE)
- Adaptation and Resilience Collaborative for Funders (ARC)
- Africa Adaptation Acceleration Program
- CHAMP: Coalition for High Ambition Multilevel Partnership for Climate Action
- Coalition for High Ambition Multi Level Partnerships (CHAMP)
- COP28 Gender-Responsive Just Transitions and Climate Action Partnership
- Feminist Action for Climate Justice Action Coalition
- Finance Your Cities Country Platforms for Localizing Finance
- Global Alliance of Subnational Development Banks
- Global Capacity Building Coalition (GCBC)
- International Climate Councils Network (ICCN)
- Local Governments and Municipal Authorities (LGMA) Constituency
- Making Cities Resilient 2030
- One Earth Alliance
- Small Islands Big Solutions Energy Compact, Sustainable Energy for All (SEforALL)
- SME Sustainability Data Taskforce

- Under2 Coalition
- Urban Nature

AG27

- A+ Alliance
- Africa Climate and Energy Nexus (AfCEN)
- AI Climate Academy
- AI for Climate Action Innovation Factory
- Assessing Transition Plans Collective (ATP-Col)
- CAMDA
- Carbon Accounting Alliance (CAA)
- Climate Data Steering Committee (CDSC)
- Climate TRACE
- Climate Watch
- Digital for Climate Working Group
- European Green Digital Coalition
- Global Cleantech Cohesion Initiative
- Global Climate Observing System (GCOS)
- Green Digital Action (GDA)
- The Coalition for Digital Environmental Sustainability (CODES)
- The Green Artificial Intelligence Learning Network (GRAIL)
- Mutirão Tecnoclima
- Nature's Intelligence Studio
- Oxford Net Zero
- SBCOP
- South-South Collective for the Climate
- Systems Change Lab
- Transition Digital
- UNGC - SPARK
- WASCAL
- WIPO Green
- World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD)

AG28

- 1000 Ocean Startups
- Alliance for Finance for Women Entrepreneurs and Women Farmers
- Alliance of CEO Climate Leaders

- Aspen Network of Development Entrepreneurs (ANDE)
- B LAB
- CIFAR Alliance
- City-Business Climate Alliance
- Climate Justice Innovation Lab
- Climate Mobility Innovation Lab (CMIL)
- DPI for People and Planet Innovation Challenge (DPI4PP Innovation Challenge)
- Earth Investment Engine
- Emerging Markets Investors Alliance (EMIA)
- EmPower: Women for Climate Resilient Communities
- Exponential Roadmap Initiative (RtZ)
- Global Cleantech Solution Acceleration Initiative (GCSAI)
- Global Climate Finance Forum (GCFF)
- Global Enabling Sustainability Initiative
- Green and Inclusive Value Chains
- IFC
- ILO Just Transition Initiative
- International Chamber of Commerce
- Marrakech Partnership
- Micro, small and medium-sized enterprises for a just transition
- Nature Investment Lab
- Nature's Intelligence Studio (The Studio)
- NDC Partnership
- NinetyOne Accelerator
- Priority Action Programme on Just Transitions Towards Environmentally Sustainable Economies and Societies
- Regional Platforms for Climate Projects
- SBCOP
- Scale for Resilience (S4R)
- SME Climate Hub
- SME Sustainability Data Taskforce
- South-South Collective for the Climate
- The Climate Drive / Business Action Bank
- The Green Wave Platform
- UNGC - SPARK
- Venture Climate Alliance
- WIPO Green
- Women Entrepreneurs Finance Initiative

AG29

- African Food Systems Transformation Initiative (AFSTI)
- African Natural Capital Alliance
- Arapyaú Institute
- Earth Investment Engine (EIE)
- Global Alliance for Territorial Communities
- Greening Construction with Sustainable Wood
- NbS Capital Mobilization Platform
- Scale for Resilience (S4R)

AG30

- Oxford Net Zero
- Net Zero Tracker
- Corporate Climate Responsibility Monitor
- Net Zero Accountability Working Group
- Libraries for Action for Climate Empowerment (ACE)
- Green Approaches to Public Procurement
- Global Initiative for Information Integrity on Climate Change
- Race to Zero Expert Peer Review Group (EPRG)
- LobbyMap
- Race to Resilience
- NAZCA
- Climate Action Against Disinformation (CAAD)
- The Conscious Advertising Network
- CDP Climate Change
- Workstream on Strengthening Information Integrity on Climate Change and Other Environmental Issues – Forum on Information and Democracy
- Gender and Environment Data Alliance
- NDC Equity Tracker
- Net Zero Policy | PRI
- IPIE Scientific Panel on Information Integrity about Climate Science (IPIE)
- Culture and Heritage for Climate Empowerment
- Taskforce on Net Zero Policy (TNZP)
- Global Renewables Alliance (GRA)
- Responsible Policy Engagement (RPE)